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The reply filed on 10 December 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Newly submitted claims 16-30 are directed to an invention that is independent or distinct from the invention originally claimed for the following reasons: the claims originally presented were directed to compositions comprising ginkgolike B. No method of use claims were submitted for examination.

Since applicant has received an action on the merits for the originally presented invention, this invention has been constructively elected by original presentation for prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, claims 16-30 are withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected invention. See 37 CFR 1.142(b) and MPEP § 821.03.

. See 37 CFR 1.111.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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